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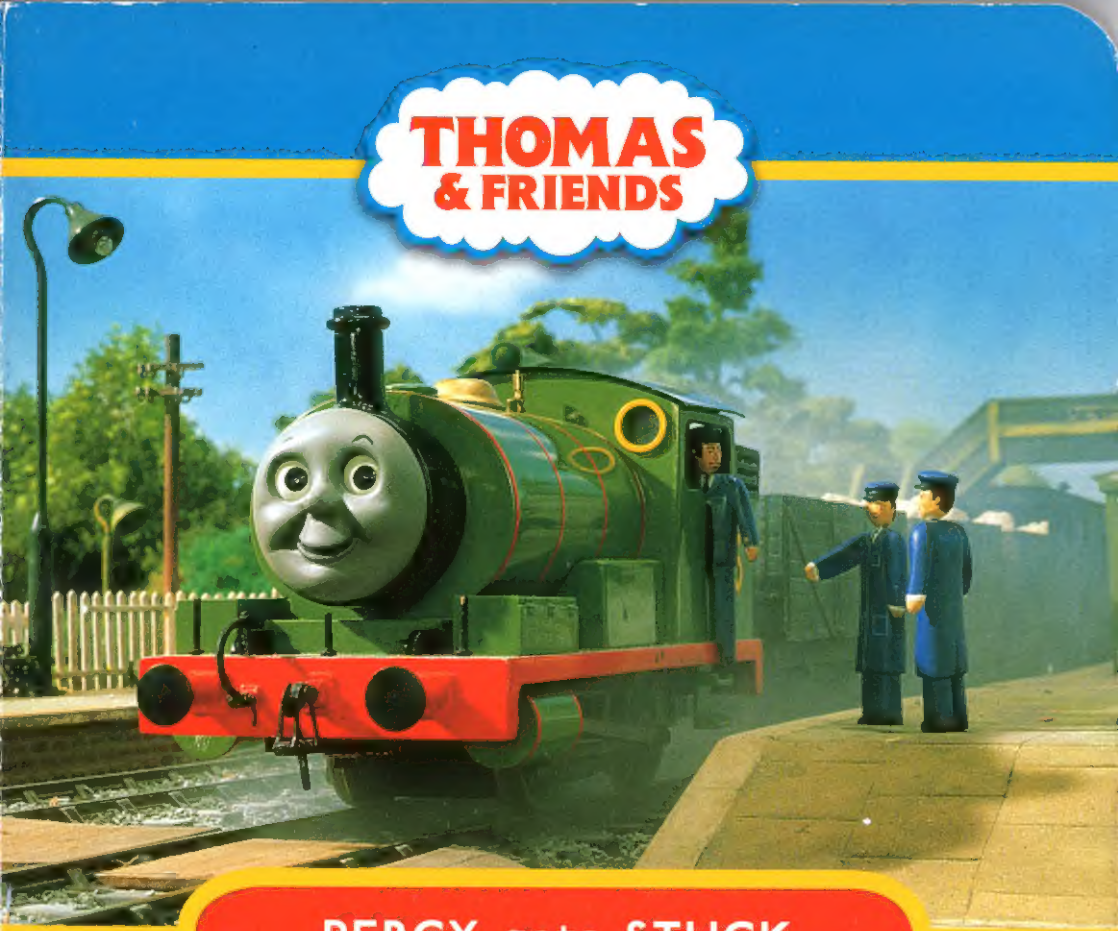

PERCY gets STUCK

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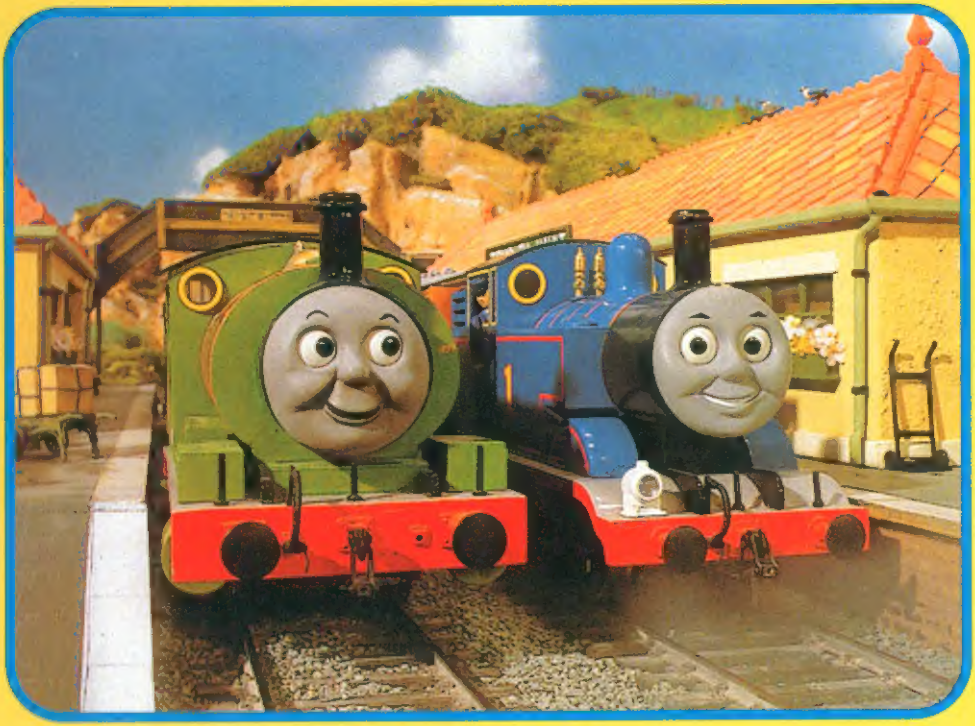
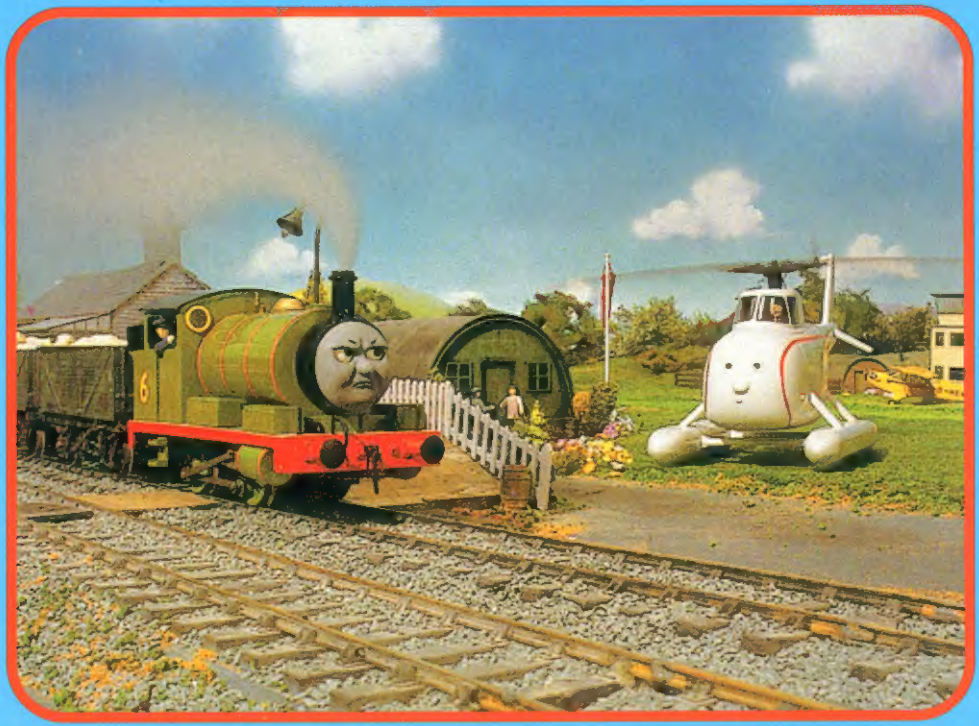
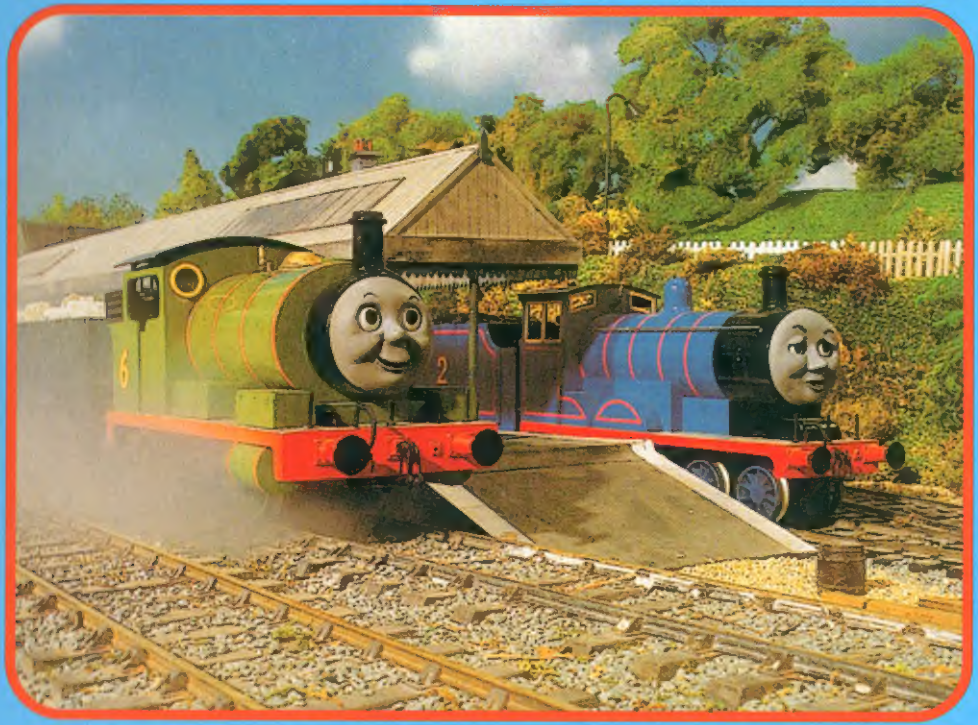
One morning, Thomas was puffing along the line by the sea. He was taking some children to the beach.



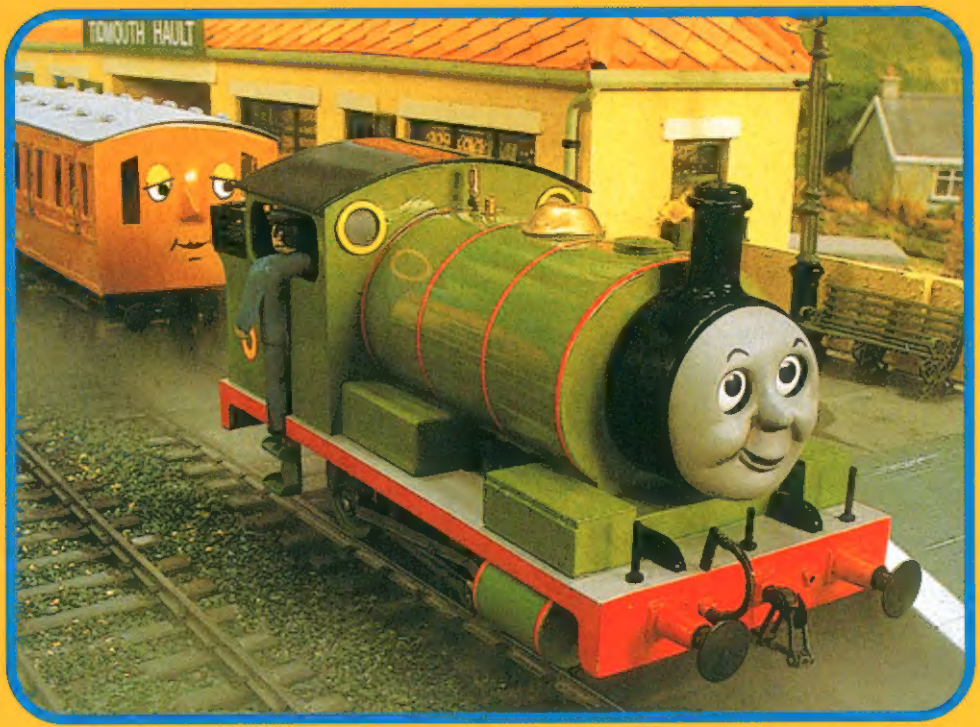
"I wish I could take children, not dirty trucks," said Percy.
"Would you like to take them home?" asked Thomas.
Percy promised that he would.



Later, Percy stopped by the airfield. Harold the Helicopter was collecting the mail. "There's going to be a storm," said Harold.



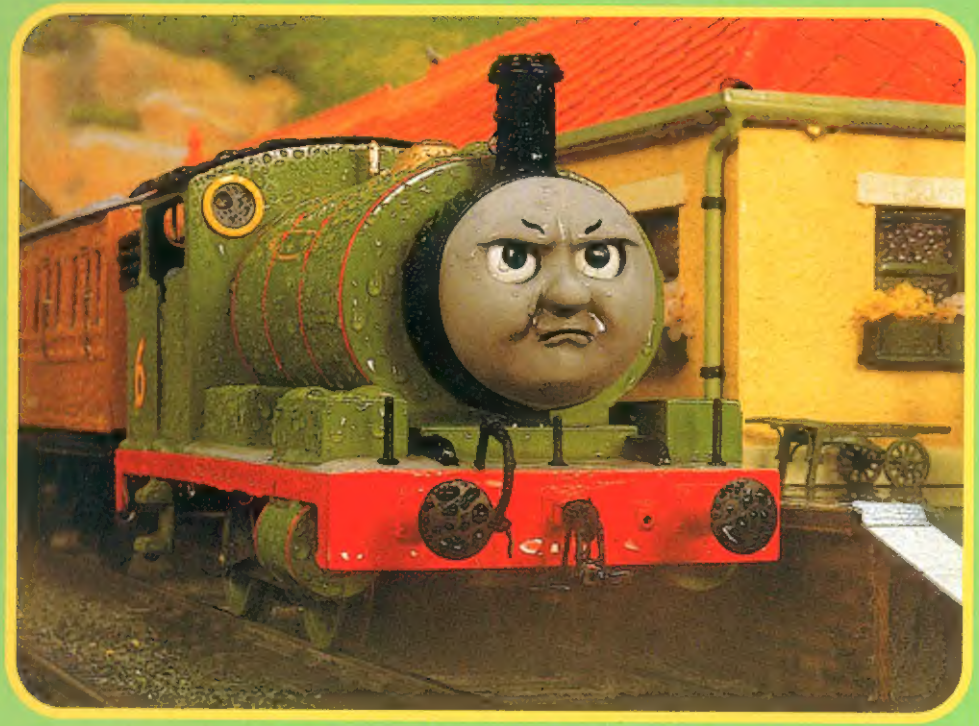
At the next station, Percy met Edward. "Be careful," he said. "Bad weather's coming. If it rains too hard, your wheels may slip."



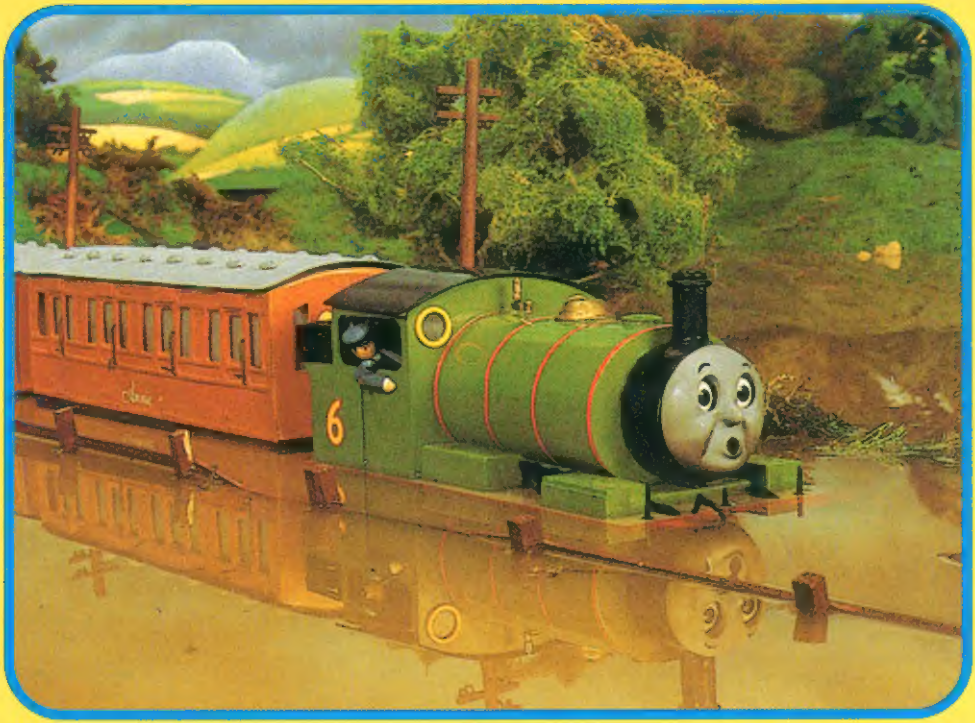
Percy meant to take the children home whatever the weather. "A promise is a promise," he told himself.

The children had spent a lovely day at the beach, but now they were tired. They quickly climbed into Percy's train.

On the way home, it began to rain. Soon it was pouring and Percy was soaked. He really wanted to be in his nice, warm Shed.



Rain streamed down Percy's boiler. His Driver was anxious. They were too close to the river and it was rising fast.



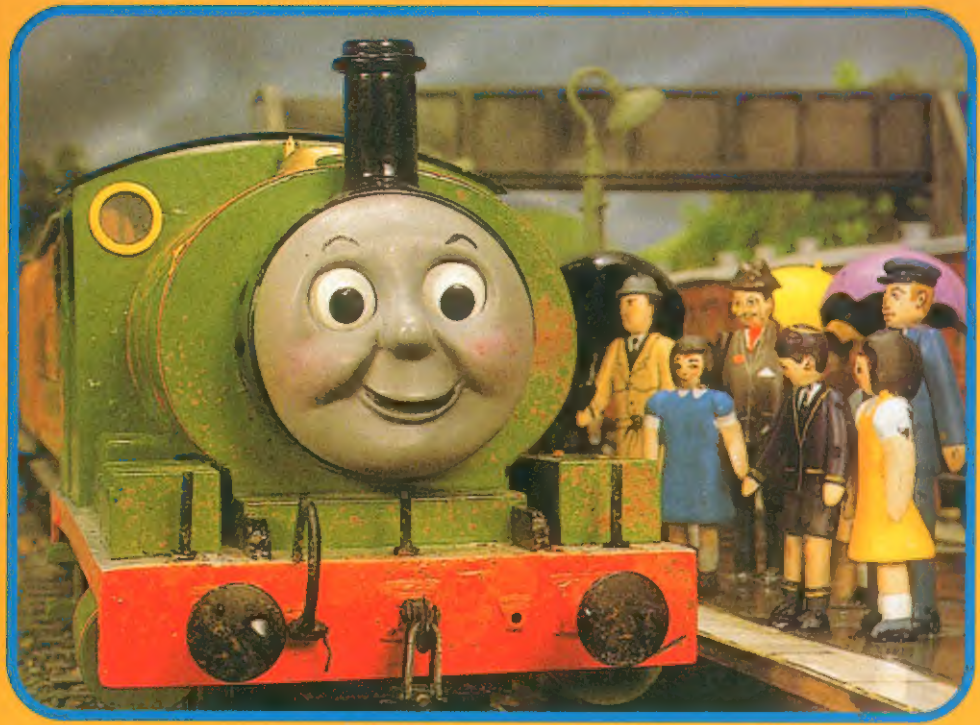
Soon, water began to slosh around Percy's wheels and his fire went out. Percy was stuck and couldn't move at all.

The Driver and the Fireman had to wade through the water to find some wood to light Percy's fire again. Percy had to get the children home.

Then Percy heard a whirring sound above. "Oh, no! Harold's come to laugh at me," he thought. But Harold dropped a parachute.

It had sandwiches and hot cocoa for the children. Afterwards, everyone felt much warmer and Percy's fire was burning well, too.

Percy made steam and puffed bravely through the floods.
At last, the children were safely home.



"Well done, Percy. You kept your promise," said Thomas.
And all the children cheered for the brave engine.

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Percy is taking some children home from the seaside when a storm floods the railway line.

How will brave Percy get the children to the station?

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